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# **SEVERE WEATHER BULLETIN #24**

FOR: TYPHOON "ULYSSES" (VAMCO) **TROPICAL CYCLONE: ALERT** 

ISSUED AT 11:00 PM, 12 November 2020

(Valid for broadcast until the next bulletin to be issued at 11 AM tomorrow)

### TYPHOON "ULYSSES" MAINTAINS ITS STRENGTH AS IT CONTINUES TO MOVE WESTWARD.

#### Hazards affecting land areas:

Strong winds: All Tropical Cyclone Wind Signals are hereby lifted. However, the typhoon and the surge of the Northeast Monsoon . will continue bringing gusty conditions over Batanes, Babuyan Islands, Cordillera Administrative Region, Ilocos Region, Zambales, Bataan, and northern Occidental Mindoro including Lubang Island.

#### Heavy rainfall:

- Between tonight and tomorrow noon, moderate to heavy with at times intense rains will still be experienced over Batanes, Babuyan Islands, northern and eastern portions of mainland Cagayan, eastern portion of Isabela, the northern and central portions of Aurora, Quirino, and Apayao. Light to moderate with at times heavy rains over llocos Region, the rest of Cordillera Administrative Region, the rest of Cagayan Valley, the rest of Aurora, the northern portion of Quezon including Polillo Islands, Zambales, and Bataan.
- Flooding (including flashfloods), rain-induced landslides, and sediment-laden streamflows (i.e. lahar) may occur during • heavy or prolonged rainfall especially in areas that are highly or very highly susceptible to these hazards and/or those that received significant antecedent rainfall. PAGASA Regional Services Divisions may issue local thunderstorm/rainfall advisories and heavy rainfall warnings while the Hydrometeorology Division and River Basin Flood Forecasting and Warning Centers may issue General Flood Advisories and Basin Flood Bulletins as appropriate.

#### Hazards affecting coastal waters:

- Within the next 24 hours, the combined effects of Typhoon "ULYSSES" and the surge of the Northeast Monsoon will bring rough to very rough seas (2.5 to 5.5 m) over the seaboards of Batanes, Babuyan Islands, Ilocos Norte, Ilocos Sur, La Union, Pangasinan, and Zambales, the northern seaboard of mainland Cagayan, and the western seaboards of Bataan, Batangas, Occidental Mindoro (including Lubang Island), and Palawan (including Calamian and Kalayaan Islands). Sea travel is risky for all types of seacrafts over these waters.
- Moderate to rough seas (2.0 to 3.5 m) will be experienced over the eastern seaboards of Luzon. Mariners of small seacrafts are advised to take precautionary measures when venturing out to sea. Inexperienced mariners should avoid navigating in these conditions

## Track and intensity outlook:

"ULYSSES" is forecast to exit the Philippine Area of Responsibility tomorrow morning. It is likely to maintain its strength in the next 24 hours before eventually weakening into a severe tropical storm in the next 36 to 48 hours due to increasingly unfavorable conditions caused by the surge of the Northeast Monsoon.

Forecast Positions	<ul> <li>24 Hour (Tomorrow evening): 725 km West of Iba, Zambales (OUTSIDE PAR) (15.3°N, 113.2°E)</li> <li>48 Hour (Saturday evening):1,160 km West of Northern Luzon (OUTSIDE PAR) (16.2°N, 109.5°E)</li> </ul>	Philiphe Attrospheric Geophysical and Astronomical Services Administration
Movement	Moving Westward at 20 km/h.	
Strength	Maximum sustained winds of <b>120 km/h</b> near the center and gustiness of up to <b>150 km/h</b> .	Track of Typhoon "ULYSSES" {VAMCO}
Location of eye/center	At 10:00 PM today, the center of the eye of Typhoon "ULYSSES" was located based on all available data at 300 km West of Iba, Zambales (15.2°N, 117.2°E).	

The public and the disaster risk reduction and management council concerned are advised to take appropriate actions and watch for the next update to be incorporated in the 4 AM Public Weather Forecast and in the next Severe Weather Bulletin to be issued at 11 AM tomorrow.

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